



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Anthony F. Menninger, et al.

Title: SYSTEM, METHOD AND
COMPUTER PROGRAM
PRODUCT FOR NORMALIZING
DATA IN A SUPPLY CHAIN
MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the office action dated January 10, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the Amendment and reconsideration and examination of the above-identified application in view of the amendments and remarks contained herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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